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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

December 13, 2004

Applicant : Dieter Eckert  
For : CYLINDER HEAD GASKET  
Serial No.: 10/647,363  
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Group: 3676  
Examiner: Peavey  
Confirmation No. 2224

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR TIME EXTENSION

Sir:

A Response To Office Action is enclosed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a), please extend the shortened period for response by one (1) month. The extension fee is:

- [X] \$ 120.00 (37 CFR 1.17a1)  
[ ] \$ 60.00 (37 CFR 1.17a2; this application is entitled to small entity status)

A check for \$120.00 is enclosed for the time extension fee paid on a small entity basis. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional extension or other fee that may be necessary to deposit account No. 20-1124.

Respectfully submitted,

IN DUPLICATE

Edward J. Timmer (Reg.No. 27 402)

Encl: listed above

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and enclosures are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 13, 2004.

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